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1. NOV 16 LISBON PRESS REPORTS THAT PORTUGUESE MILITARY AUTHORITIES AT LAJES LABELLED AS BASELESS AZOREAN PRESS SPECULATION ABOUT "ABNORMAL MOVEMENT" OF AIRCRAFT AT LAJES. THE NEWSPAPER "CORREIO DA HORTA" REPORTEDLY GAVE FIRST-PAGE TREATMENT TO "ABNORMAL MOVEMENT OF AIRPLANES" AND THE PARKING OF "DOZENS" OF USAF PLANES AT LAJES. SAME REPORT CLAIMED THAT THE U.S. WAS RUNNING SUPPLY FLIGHTS THROUGH LAJES TO LEBANON OR SOUTH AFRICA UNDER THE GUISE OF A NATO EXERCISE.

2. WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION PERTAINING TO ABOVE REPORT.
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